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CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required to file a Continued Prosecution application (CPA), enclosed herewith.

However, this is a request for a conditional petition of time being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 23-0442 for any petition fee necessary to maintain the pendency of the aforementioned application and to file a CPA application.

Respectfully submitted,



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